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TRUCK FARMER CROSSES EGGPLANT AND TOMATO

**Texan Believes Consumers Will
Give This New Vegetable
Warm Welcome.**

LA MARQUE, Tex., Sept. 20.—P. Dan George, a truck farmer of this place, has succeeded in producing a new variety of vegetable by grafting the tomato plant upon the egg plant. The product of this blending of plant types is a vegetable that in some respects resembles the egg plant and in other ways is typical of the tomato.

Mr. George has one-half acre devoted to egg plant-tomatoes, as he calls the new garden product. The yield is enormous. The fruit of the crossed plant is of deep purple color on the outside, closely resembling the egg plant product in that respect, but the meat on the inside is red.

The fruit is almost entirely free of seed. In size the new product is much larger than any of the different varieties of the commercial tomato. Each plant grows to a height of five to seven feet and puts on an enormous crop of fruit.

Mr. George claims that the new vegetable will receive warm welcome from the consumers of the country. It was quite by accident that he made the discovery that the two plants could be crossed. He was growing the young plants in beds early this spring, and one day, for want of something to do, he grafted a tomato plant upon an egg plant, never thinking for a moment that the merged plant would grow. Greatly to his surprise he saw that the grafting was a great success. He immediately grafted enough plants to set a half acre in them.

Every home with a phone is a branch of Welch & Fullerton, Druggists.

Important To Farmers

Through the courtesy of the Atlas Powder Company we are enabled to hold a demonstration at 1 p. m., Friday, September 24, on the farm of R. D. Mayo, between Clarksburg and Bridgeport, on the trolley line. This demonstration will include stump blowing, boulder blasting, ditch digging, subsoiling, preparing holes for tree planting and post hole digging.

Farmers who expect to do any of the above named things cannot afford to miss this meeting. Don't forget the date and place.

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THE GLOBE
327 W. Pike

JAPAN'S NEW CABINET HAS ABLE MEN IN IT

But Step of Intrenching Country's Political Life on Emperor May Cause Its Fall.

TOKIO, Sept. 20.—Opinion is divided in Japan as to the wisdom of Premier Count Okuma's move in cancelling his resignation and remaining in power with a reconstructed cabinet. Those who favor the count claim it was necessary in view of the fact that Japan is at war with Germany and Austria. A change of premier was undesirable during the war. Also, it was undesirable before the great accession ceremonies which will be held in November. Others believe the count's move a blow to constitutional government, as it showed interference from the genro and intervention from the emperor himself. Doubts are expressed as to the capacity of the new ministry to live long, especially as it is without the sustaining force offered by the presence of Baron Kato as foreign minister, who was regarded as the real head of the former cabinet.

Dr. K. Ichiki, who has been transferred from the portfolio of education to that of home affairs, was a graduate of the college of law in the Imperial Tokyo University, and is an authority on domestic administration. He has no connection whatever with any political party, and this President Shimada, of the house of representatives, congratulates the states and the people on the reorganization of the Okuma government, especially in view of the coronation festivities. The personnel of the reconstructed ministry, he thinks, is all that can be desired under existing conditions.

Man with No Politics.
fact, Speaker Shimada argues, will enable him to exercise his authority without any party prejudice. Vice Admiral Kato, the new minister of the navy, has held the office of vice minister of the navy for many years, and was chief of staff to Admiral Togo during the Russo-Japanese war.

Dr. S. Takata, the new minister of education, held the post of president of Waseda University for many years. Mr. Minoura, who became minister of communications, once held the office of vice minister of communications and is proprietor and chief editor of the Hochi, which is the organ of the present government. He is a man of many estimable qualities, and is respected even by his political foes.

An Able Financier.
Mr. Taketomi, who has been transferred from the portfolio of communications to that of finance, is well known as an able financier. Mr. Shimada expresses regret that Count Okuma has lost Baron Kato and Vice Admiral Yashiro from the foreign and naval portfolios, but commends the choice of Baron Ishii, ambassador to Paris, as foreign minister.

With one group Count Okuma is regarded as the "Grand Old Man" of the present Japanese era. Without him the political situation would have become hopelessly complicated with incessant changes that would keep the empire in a constant state of anxiety. With another group the constitutional issue involved is held of supreme weight. The premier is regarded as having violated constitutional usage in tendering his resignation only to withdraw it. Resignations have been ordinarily accepted, but in the present instance it was announced that the emperor himself had intervened and voiced his wish that the premier remain.

Most Unusual Step.
This is a most unusual step in Japanese national life. Heretofore the throne has left political matters to the genro, the idea being that the political life of the empire was not

to be intrenched upon the ruler. It is a very delicate point; but imperial preference for any one cabinet has almost always been scrupulously avoided.

It was the exception made to this usage at the time of the third Katsura cabinet that caused the riot which finally resulted in the fall of the cabinet after only a few months of existence. The opposition raised at that time was based upon the necessity of keeping the throne from being involved in political disputes.

The imperial message given to Marquis Saionji to use his influence to make the Selyukal members support the government raised a storm of indignation which culminated in a riot, causing loss of life and property. The Katsura cabinet was obliged to resign, and the Yamamoto ministry came into power.

The semi-official statement to the effect that the throne did not wish to accept the resignation of the Okuma government is criticised not only by opposition politicians but also by some who belong to no party. For this departure from established usage both the government and the elder statesmen are held responsible. There is already some opposition among the privy councillors in this respect. The matter will no doubt constitute a question in the house of peers in the winter session of the Diet, if the newly constructed cabinet be still in office. The conclusion of these critics is that the Okuma cabinet is actually sitting on a volcano.

Sure of His Position.
Count Okuma has no fears as to his position. When he had built his new cabinet he gathered the Japanese newspaper men about him and told them that there were two reasons why he changed his mind and remained in office with a constructed ministry. He said:

"One is the political circumstances both internal and external, which do not permit of ministerial change at this moment and the other is the gracious order of his majesty that I continue my service. The war in Europe is still in progress and its state is such that no one can tell when it will terminate. While Japan is not actually engaged, she is one of the belligerents. Needless to say, the difficulty of our diplomatic dealings from now till peace is restored in Europe will be great."

"In spite of adverse criticism in some quarters I do not see why our recent negotiations with China should be called a failure. I believe the people share this view of mine and of my colleagues."

"The cabinet has adhered to the policy of not borrowing money for financial necessities and has endeavored to root out all the evils arising from the 'borrowing' policy as followed by ministries in the past. I believe this financial policy of the government, too, has been and is still approved by the majority of the people."

Confidence in Cabinet.
The premier expressed sympathy for Viscount Oura, the home minister, who resigned because of the bribery affair. He did not want to uphold Viscount Oura, but he did think his motive was pure, and that he committed his blunder in order to destroy the evil influence of a big political party.

In conclusion, Count Okuma declared he firmly believed his cabinet enjoyed the confidence of the people. Some theorists were denouncing his act as against the principles of constitutionalism, but he had decided to say under a strong moral conviction which he deemed higher than abstract theory of constitutionalism. He said: "I believe those who grasp the political circumstances of this country internal and external, will approve my act."

VALUABLE FOXES ARE BEING SHOWN

**"Silver Cross" Specimens in
Detroit Are Worth about
\$30,000 Each.**

DETROIT, Sept. 20.—Two silver cross foxes, weighing about fifteen pounds each and valued at \$30,000 each, have recently arrived in Detroit. They are the property of J. R. Bigger, who has a fox ranch on Prince Edward island.

The little animals, who couldn't drag their own value if it were in gold, are on exhibition in the window of a downtown bird store.

"I believe silver cross foxes can be raised in Michigan," said Mr. Bigger. "The climate is suitable and they are not at all hard to raise."

"They are a little vicious some times. One has to be careful in handling them; always hold them with their heads down and grasp the hind legs firmly. Keep away from their heads, because they will snap you, otherwise they are as easy to raise as any kind of stock. They will live on fish and meat and that sort of thing, and a good pair of breeders will present their owner with five pups each year."

"At any rate, you can see, there is good money in raising them. Out of the 155 men who have ranches on Prince Edward island, fifty-five are millionaires and others are doing nicely."

The foxes that Mr. Bigger brought to Detroit are ranch raised and are two and a half years old. At present their fur is shaggy and ragged for they are shedding and the new coat that they will wear next winter is coming in. In a short time, Mr. Bigger says, their fur will regain its glossy smoothness.

Their little coal black eyes snap and sparkle as they look at you. As they crouch in the shadows at the corners of their cage their eyes flash fire and their red jaws snap in a way that makes the spectators glad the animals are securely enclosed.

SCHOOLS

**In Clark Magisterial District
Begin the Present School
Year.**

The schools of Clark district opened Monday morning with teachers assigned as follows:

Industrial.

L. E. Barnett, principal and seventh and eighth grades.

E. B. Clark, fifth and sixth grades.

Emma Carr, third and fourth grades.

Alice Britton, second grade.

Mabel Worrell, first grade.

Thelma Craddock, first grade.

Fair Ground.

E. L. Lemesters, principal and seventh and eighth grades.

Lucile Stealey, fifth and sixth grades.

Amie Cunningham, third and fourth grades.

Maud Richards, first and second grades.

Clara Conard, first and second grades.

Union Heights.

Mr. Arnold, principal and fifth and sixth grades.

Georgia Broadwater, second grade.

Carrie Israel, third and fourth grades.

Harriet Engerstrom, first grade.

Custer school—Alma Butcher.

Nutter school—A. H. Hinkley.

Center Branch—L. McClain.

Sand Hill—Rebecca Knight.

Lower Davidson Run—Aubrey Heflin.

THE THEATERS

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Herbert Rawlinson, and an all star western cast of cowboy photoplay actors is also shown. It is good.



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**Announcing Our Special
Sale of
SUITS, COATS and SKIRTS**

Our special opening of Ladies' Tailor-made garments for Fall and winter wear, will be given tomorrow, Tuesday, Sept. 21, as first announced. We will have with us tomorrow Mr. E. W. Powell, of Philadelphia, representing Mess Strawbridge and Clothier, manufacturers, who comes to us with a large and complete line of the season's latest designs.

Mr. Powell will come prepared to take special measures for suits and coats to order, each and every customer can get a garment that is distinctive. We invite you to attend this sale. It is worth your while to be posted on what is being worn and to know the correct models to buy.

Our store is replete with beautiful new merchandise for the Fall and Winter season, and is ready to serve you.

THE D. M. OGDEN COMPANY

Tuesday, an extra fine program consisting of Mutual and Universal films will be shown.

Foreign rulers and potentates have a habit of showering gifts upon actors, magicians and others whose work strikes them particularly. Servais LeRoy, who will come to the Robinson Grand Thursday night, September 23, at 9 o'clock, has two trunks filled with gifts that he has gathered on his round the world tour, which has already consumed twelve years. Among them is a diamond studded wand presented by the Czar of Russia, a cigar case with his initials set in rubies, given him by the King of Spain and a great many medals, etc.

But while LeRoy was playing in India he literally had an elephant upon his hands that required considerable effort to unload.

EX-GOVERNOR FLEMING

**Will Take Part in Dedication of
McClelland Memorial Class
Room Here.**

At a meeting of the McClelland Bible class of the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning it was announced that the work was progressing rapidly on the new room being built for the use of the class in the basement of the church, the excavating being about two-thirds completed. It has been arranged to re-enter the body of the Rev. Asa Brooks, first pastor of the church, which has rested under the building for the last eighty years, in a vault below the floor where the old pulpit of the church was located. The sandstone cover of the original vault will be used in the new one, and a marble tablet, given by ex-Governor A. B. Fleming, of Fairmont, grandson of the Rev. Mr. Brooks, will mark the spot on the class room wall. Governor Fleming expects to be present at the dedication of the class room, when appropriate services will be held honoring the memory of the founder and first pastor of the church.

COUNCIL TO MEET.

Mayor G. H. Gordon has called a special meeting of the city council for 7:30 o'clock this evening to consider the Main and Pike street bridges.

PROMINENT PREACHER.

The Rev. W. Bishop Johnson, colored, president of a Washington, D. C., correspondence school for his race, will speak at the Mt. Zion Baptist church 8 o'clock tonight on his popular subject: "The Courage of a Race." All are requested to hear him. Admission will be free.

The body of Alloitus Reynold, who died at Villa Nova in Clay county Friday morning, arrived here at 2:15 o'clock Monday afternoon. The funeral will be held at the home of his widow, Mrs. Alice J. Reynolds, at 2155 Sycamore street at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and burial will be in the Masonic cemetery. The Rev. Dr. W. C. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist church, will officiate.

LEAVES CONVENT FOR THE FOOTLIGHTS



Miss Mary Carroll.

Miss Mary Carroll was a student at a convent when at eighteen she determined to enter upon a stage career. Against the protest of the nuns she became an actress. She has been successful in smaller cities, and this season has been engaged for the leading part in "Rolling Stones" at one of the principal New York theaters.

ORNAMENTS

**Made by French Artisans and
Engravers from Exploded
German Shells.**

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)

PARIS, Sept. 20.—Many metal artisans and engravers, serving in the artillery, devote their leisure moments to carving ornaments from aluminum and copper, taken from exploded German shells. These souvenirs, made beneath the bomb-proof shelters at the front, have been highly

prized by the recipients at home, and until a short time ago it was impossible to buy them.

Recently a society was organized, whose aim is to dispose of these trinkets; the proceeds of their sale being forwarded directly to the men themselves. Each article is accompanied by a card bearing the name and military address of the maker, and if desired the purchaser may receive a card of acknowledgment from him.

Aluminum rings are the most popular, but lockets, brooches, bracelets, paper knives, ash receivers, paper weights, inkstands and various other articles of every day use are made. The Cross of Lorraine, emblem of Joan of Arc, is a favorite design for rings; four-leaf clovers, horse shoes,

and occasionally some special mark of the regiment also being employed. Exploded shells and fragments are used in many Parisian homes as flower pots, vases for cut flowers, umbrella stands and similar uses.

PENDLETON ILL

**Former Congressman from
West Virginia Suffering from
Complication of Diseases.**

WHEELING, Sept. 20.—The Hon. John O. Pendleton, among the last of the local lawyers of the old school and a politician of the many years gone by, is reported to be very ill at his home on Twelfth street. He has been unable to be at his office for more than a week, and it is said that he is suffering from a complication of diseases.

Mr. Pendleton served two terms in Congress from the old First district, in the late eighties.

WORLD'S RECORD

**Baby Born to Chicago Couple
Weighs Nineteen Pounds
at Birth.**

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—"Sammy" Puccillo brought a world's record with him, it is believed, when he arrived at the Puccillo home, 1051 West Eleventh street, Chicago. Sammy weighed nineteen pounds at birth. Records available to the city health department and to maternity hospitals of the city chronicle no other nineteen pound babies of Sammy's age. His size was considered by Commissioner of Health Robinson to be of such importance that a photographer was sent to the Puccillo home to get his picture for the city archives.

ROCKEFELLER IN COLORADO.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 20.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., arrived here today for an inspection of the properties of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company. Mr. Rockefeller and his party probably will spend two or three weeks in Colorado.

PUT UNDER PEACE BOND.

Mrs. Bertie Stroman, a colored woman residing in Gore alley in the rear of First street, was placed under bond of \$100 to keep the peace for six months Monday in Magistrate W. E. Starcher's court at the instance of Mrs. Frances Dawson, who alleged that the colored woman threatened her.

CAPT. JOHN MARTIN DEAD.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 20.—Captain John Martin, 69, for forty years one of the best known steamboat men on the Ohio, Kanawha and Mississippi rivers, is dead at his home here. Mrs. R. A. Van Wagner and W. H. Thacker, of Chicago, and S. L. Thacker, of Pittsburg, are relatives.